# Hold Me Closer



Count: 32 Wall: 4 Level: Improver

Choreographer: Donna Collins (USA) - September 2022

Music: Hold Me Closer - Elton John & Britney Spears



Part A: 32 counts Part B: 16 counts, dance twice.

Sequence: A,A,B,B,Start A again at 6:00 and dance until the end

## Section 1: STEP, ROCK REPLACE, 1/2 TURN SHUFFLE, SIDE ROCK RECOVER, CROSSING SHUFFLE

1, 2, 3 Step forward L, rock forward R, replace L,

4 & 5 Shuffle 1/2 turn R,L,R 6, 7 Side rock left, recover right

8 & 1 Cross shuffle L,R,L

## Section 2: STEP TOUCHES, STEP BACK RIGHT, KICK LEFT, COASTER STEP

2, 3, 4, 5 Step right, touch left, step left, touch, right 6, 7 1/4 turn stepping back on right (6), kick left (7)

8 & 1 Back left, together right, forward left

## Section 3: 1/2 TURN SHUFFLE, 1/2 TURN SHUFFLE, ROCKING CHAIR

2 & 3 Shuffle 1/2 turn, (R,L,R) (counterclockwise) 4 & 5 Shuffle 1/2 turn, (L,R,L) (counterclockwise)

6,7,8,1 Rock forward R, Recover L, Rock Back R, Recover L

#### Section 4: KICK & POINT, JAZZ BOX WITH HALF TURN

2 & 3 Kick R, replace, point L toe to side 4 & 5 Kick L, replace, point R toe to side

6, 7, 8 Cross R over L, 1/4 turn L stepping back, 1/4 turn R stepping forward

## The first time facing 6:00, DANCE PART B (16 counts) TWO TIMES CONSECUTIVELY.

Add a ball step after count 8 the 2nd time only, then continue dancing Part A starting at 6:00 until the end.

#### Section 1: STEP DRAG, STEP DRAG, WITH SHIMMYS

1 - 4 Big step R (1-2) and shimmy shoulders, drag L (3-4)

#### Extra: Cross arms over shoulders while shimmying

5 - 8 Big step L (5-6) and shimmy shoulders, drag R (7-8)

#### Section 2: ROCKING CHAIR, 2 PIVOTS

1 - 4 Rock forward R, Recover L, Rock back R, Recover L

5 - 8 Step forward R, Pivot 1/2 turn, Step forward R, Pivot 1/2 turn (weight on L)

#### Second Time - BALL STEP

& 1 Step on ball of R foot (&), Step forward L (1) to restart Part A

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